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We also keep a large stock of Stale and Fancy
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ALL kinds of Blanks for L. S. Land Filings—
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Health Officer's Report

The old bedsteads and mattresses in the basement of the hall of records were ordered sent to the county hospital.

The old unused windows stored in the basement of the hall of records were sold to U S Gregory for \$5.

The county health officer made his health and mortality report for February as follows: Chicken pox has been prevalent in Sutter Creek and at Jackson Gate. One case of scarlet fever existed at Jackson.

Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle aid and curative properties. Sold by all dealers.

Marriage Licenses.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Peter Oderda, 31, and Mary Oreggia, 23, both natives of Italy and residents of Drytown.

Women's Exchange.

The Women's Exchange this week will be held at the Brown's office next door to Mrs. Conlon's. Call early and get some nice delicacies in home cooking. Mrs. Geo. Brown will be in charge.

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FRIDAY MARCH 11, 1910

Editorial Column.

OUR ALIEN POPULATION.

The large proportion of foreign-born and non-English speaking population in the United States is a matter of increasing concern to those who have the best interests of the country at heart. The evil afflicts not merely some particular section or state, but the entire Union. Go where you may over the vast domain of Uncle Sam and you are brought face to face with a foreign element speaking a strange tongue. It is present on the farms and in the orchards, in the mines, and factories, in the marts of trade—in fact, in every department of human industry. On the Pacific coast the Chinese, Japs, and latterly the Hindus are the chief bone of contention in this respect. It is easy to assert that the remedy is in the hands of employers, and that the blame rests mainly upon the latter for employing them. Such talk is purile and not to the point. It is unquestionably true that the undesirable element would not come to America in the absence of the prospect of remunerative employment. But it must be remembered that our laws invite them to come. They are here under the sanction of our laws, and that implies the right to live here and compete with native labor. To advocate a universal boycott against this class, or any particular portion of the foreign population, by refusing to employ them under any circumstances, would be revolting—a national crime. The proposed remedy would be infinitely worse than the disease. It would involve wholesale starvation, and the paralysis of our industries. We are not now discussing the proposition of whether the employment of alien labor of the class referred to is absolutely necessary; but we do contend that national honor demands that free laborers who are here, regardless of nativity, are entitled to a square deal in the disposal of their labor, whether skilled or unskilled.

It is not surprising that alien laborers are becoming more of a disturbing element in our industrial economy with every passing year. The tide of emigration is rolling in from the congested countries of Europe at the rate of over a million a year. And they are mostly able-bodied men, who are attracted by the hope of commanding far better wages for their labor than they could obtain in their native lands. This represents fully two per cent addition to the ranks of wage earners every year. It is amazing that the country is able to take care of such a tremendous influx of laborers year after year. Such a tide of humanity in quest of employment was never before known in the world's history.

The government imposes a head tax upon all foreigners entering the United States, together with other restrictions, requiring for example that the immigrant shall be in such physical and mental condition that he is not likely to become a public charge, also that he does not belong to the criminal class. Of recent years the law requires an educational qualification of applicants for naturalization. It seems to us that if congress were to enact a law requiring all persons entering the United States to be able to read the constitution in the English language, and also to be able to converse in English, it would be a wise provision, and tend to correct existing evils. In a few years the babel of tongues which we now hear in every city and hamlet would cease, and a marked improvement in social conditions would take place. We would have a desirable and intelligent class of newcomers, and the flow would no doubt be commensurate with the demand for labor.

Philadelphia is in the throes of one of the biggest street car strikes in the history of the county. Failing to secure terms which involved a recognition of their union, the carmen struck. The traction company refused to be coerced, so a sympathetic strike of all labor union men in the city, except such as were employed in producing the necessities of life, was called, and all those answered the strike call, over 100,000 men would have walked out. The strike leaders contend that the strikers actually number six figures, but the city authorities dispute the claim. However, it is an appalling labor trouble, and has paralyzed business in the city of brotherly love for the time being. Both sides are determined to fight it out to a finish.

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The Kind You Have
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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

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ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of Infants and Children.

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. **NOT NARCOTIC.**

Recipe of Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER:
Pumpkin Seed—
Almond Seeds—
Ricotta Seeds—
Apricot Seeds—
Pineapple Seeds—
Hemp Seeds—
Horn Seeds—
Clementine Seeds—
Wistaria Seeds—
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At 6 months old
35 Doses—35 CENTS
Guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act.

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

GLOBE SIGHTS

There are many ways of being no account.

It is a great blessing to be able to pay your debts.

Do men who have cork legs go to bed with them on?

Whether drunk or sober, some men are naturally born nuisances.

It is as difficult to transplant people as it is to transplant trees.

An Atchison girl is so homely that she does not think she is pretty herself.

A busy man is not busy with his own work: his principal task is getting rid of bores.

One trouble with a drunk man is that he insists on advertising more than he has for sale.

The easiest thing in the world is to make a \$50 promise that is to be filled in the indefinite future.

A mother who isn't willing to be imposed upon by her children will be talked about by the neighbors.

When a boy expresses willingness to climb a tree to pick cherries, they are not for his mother to put up.

There are some men so foolish it makes them feel rich to count up the amounts they have spent in the past.

How you live in the winter plays a more important part than sassafras tea in determining your health in the spring.

We wish we were a young girl who has just returned from school: We saw one yesterday, and four girls had their arms around her.

In this intellectual world, you may have observed that college advertisements have more to say about the gymnasium than the library.

Note of progression: It is still perfectly proper to borrow sugar when company comes, but it is no longer proper to borrow the bowl.

When a woman goes to call upon another woman, the latter thinks she is bound, by courtesy, to tell her visitor some gossip before she leaves.

These days it seems to be more important to have an old mahogany table that belonged to a grandmother than to have had the grandmother.

If all the inventive genius wasted on excuses were exerted along more practical lines, an extension would have to be built on the patent office.

We have a great curiosity to see a certain Atchison girl's true complexion: we would like to take a look at her some time after she washes her face.

It frequently happens that father and mother have better health than the children, because they have no time for sickness or any other recreation.

If there is anything that disgusts the people more than the spectacle of a girl chasing a man it is the fact that the man does not object to being chased.

We would like to bet that if ever Damon and Pythias had married, and moved into the same block, something would have happened to wreck their friendship.

Clothesline etiquette: In airing an Oriental rug, it is proper to put up the clothesline in the front yard, but it is in better taste to air a rag carpet in the rear.

No woman past forty should own a chafing dish; Any one that age who doesn't know that a cob or coal fire is more fitting, isn't fit to be trusted with cooking.

In real shiftless families it is possible to hear clear and convincing arguments why, since brooms have gone up to 50 cents, it is cheaper to buy a vacuum cleaner.

There is this to be said for the man who behaves like a cold wave: he doesn't interfere with your work as much as the one who thinks he has a monopoly in scattering sunshine.

Every time a woman groans in the night, there comes with the groan the pleasing proof that there is nothing in her husband's theory he is a light sleeper; at least, he doesn't wake up.

When a wife announces to her husband that she has made an engagement for him that evening, he groans in despair. Then, with a glimmer of hope, he asks, "Do I have to dress up?"

Some day a philanthropic rich man will get revenge by leaving his fortune to the lawyers, so his kin can have the satisfaction of watching them waste it in fighting among themselves.

Deafness Can not be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear.

There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies.

Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars or any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best

OFFICIAL MAP

—OF—

Amador County

vey by D. C. CARRINGTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all schoolhouses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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Refitted and renovated throughout.
Best of accommodation for commercial travelers.Table supplied with best in market.
Terms reasonable.

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In Imported and Domestic

Wines* Liquors* Cigars

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DISTRIBUTING AGENTS FOR J. F. MARTELL Cognac, Moet & Chandon, White Seal and Private Cuvée Champagne; Morgan Bros. Puerto de Santa María Sherry; Royal Wine Company, Oporto, Port Wines; Dubon Frères, Bordeaux, Cigars and Sauternes; CANADIAN CLUB WHISKY, Rye Whisky and Sons, Montreal, Quebec, Ontario, Canada; John de Kuyper & Son, Rotterdam, Gin, Gilka Kuehnel, from J. A. Gilka, Berlin; Bartholomay Brewery Company, Rochester, N. Y.; Knickerbocker Beer; Dogshead Brand of "Guinness, Stout and Bass' Ale (bottled by Read Bros., London); Cantrell & Cochrane, Belfast, Ginger Ale; Naglee Brandy; Reimvoort American Whiskies.

J. A. Vanderpool

THE HARNESS MAN

Plymouth, Cal.

Has on hand a full line of Harness and Hardess Fixtures, Saddles, Bridles and Robes. Buggies and Carriage tops made to order.

Also has on hand a line of that well known and thoroughly tried BAKER & HAMILTON buggies.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Ticket Offices

Flood Building Market Street Ferry Depot.

Third and Townsend Sts. Depot.

Broadway and Thirteenth Sts., Oakland.

General Merchandise

Groceries, Furnishing Goods, Shoes, Boots, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Mining Supplies, Lumber, Hardware, Hay, Grain, etc., etc.

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(Incorporated) which owns and controls one of the greatest sources of water power in the West at Kennett, Shasta County, California.

ELECTRIC POWER

Generated by the natural fall of a great river, offers the safest investment of the present day. Crops and mines may fail, factories and banks may close their doors, but the Sacramento River will never cease to supply its power; and electricity, for operating railroads, for hoisting works, mills and smelters at mines, for running all forms of machinery at factories and on farms and for the lighting of towns and cities, is a staple article in ever-increasing demand.

Situated at the head of the great Sacramento Valley, with electric roads projected in every direction and being rapidly built, only 275 miles from San Francisco and Oakland, and 185 miles from Sacramento, to which points electric power is now transmitted from Shasta County, the market is practically unlimited.

Send your address at once and let us tell you how you can make an investment now which will increase in value ten times within a few years and yield a good income for all time.

Representatives wanted in every town.

Address:

Sacramento River Power Co.,
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SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

OF

Public Administrator of Amador Co.

To the Hon. Fred V. Wood, Judge of the Superior court of Amador County, California:
The undersigned, the public administrator of Amador County, pursuant to the provisions of section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the state of California, hereby makes to the Superior Court of Amador County, under oath, a return of all the estates of decedents which have come into his hands since said last return, the value of each estate according to the inventory and appraisal thereof, the money which has come into his hands, from every such estate, and what has been done with it, and the amount of his fees incurred in each estate, and the balance, if any, in each such estate remaining in his hands.

H. E. POTTER
Public Administrator of Amador County, State of California.

Name of Decedent	Appraised Value of Estate.	Cash Received.	Expense of Administration, Debts, Funeral Expenses, Money Distributed.	Balance on Hand	Administrator's Fees,
O. Zanzucchi.....	\$809.00	\$ 809.00	\$442.85	\$366.15	\$56.63
John Voss.....	No appraisement	55.40	31.00	21.40	Unsettled
Ann E. Trelease.....	No appraisement	Nothing received	Nothing paid	.....	Unsettled
Frank A. Richardson, special administrator	No appraisement	1690.00	65.50	25.00	Settled
Frank A. Richardson, John D. Vaughan.....	\$1747.69	1582.10	1571.10	122.33	Unsettled
Sarah A. Seine.....	69.00	69.00	4.00	4.20	Unsettled
A. M. Vaughan.....	100.00	709.00	6.03	.....	Unsettled
Agostino Biasotti.....	No appraisement	90.00	703.00	None	49.00
					Settled
					6.50

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Amador. ss.

H. E. Potter, the Public Administrator of Amador County, after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I was during all the times mentioned in the foregoing statement the duly elected, qualified and acting Public Administrator of Amador County; I have read the foregoing return made on this day by me to the Superior Court of Amador County, and know the contents thereof, and say upon oath that the same is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

H. E. POTTER,

Public Administrator of Amador County, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of February, 1910. JOHN BLOWER, Notary Public in and for Amador County, California.

S. DEUTSCH The Tailor

Rooms 1 & 2, Webb Building, Jackson.

I have the pleasure to announce that I will have by February 1, for inspection, over 3000 samples of different designs of woolens for spring and summer suits for 1910.

I wish to thank the public for the liberal patronage accorded me in the past, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

Eat What You want of the food you need Kodol will digest it.

You need a sufficient amount of good wholesome food and more than this you need to fully digest it.

Else you can't gain strength, nor can you strengthen your stomach if it is weak.

You must eat in order to live and maintain strength.

You must not diet, because the body requires that you eat a sufficient amount of food regularly.

But this food must be digested, and it must be digested thoroughly.

When the stomach can't do it, you must take something that will help the stomach.

The proper way to do is to eat what you want, and let Kodol digest the food.

Nothing else can do this. When the stomach is weak it needs help; you must help it by giving it rest, and Kodol will do that.

AT CITY PHARMACY JACKSON

Our Guarantee

Go to your druggist today, and purchase a dollar bottle, and if you can honestly say, that you did not receive any benefits from it, after using the entire bottle, the druggist will refund your money to you without question or delay.

We will pay the druggist the price of the bottle purchased by you.

This offer applies to the large bottle only and to but one in a family.

We could not afford to make such an offer, unless we positively knew what Kodol will do for you.

It would bankrupt us. The dollar bottle contains 2½ times as much as the fifty cent bottle.

Kodol is made at the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

"The Raven" Revised.
Once upon a morning foggy, while I loitered, groused and groggy, Over biscuits that were soggy and an egg that was a bore, While I dawdled, almost dreaming, and my coffee ceased from steaming. Suddenly there came a screaming—screaming never heard before.

"Tis some suffragette," I muttered, "screaming at my outer door; Just a noise and nothing more."

—Chicago Tribune.

They All Balked.

A farmer had purchased a fine automobile, of which he was very proud, and he never tired telling every one what a powerful machine he had. One day, however, the inevitable happened and he found himself stranded several miles from home. Try as he would, he could not make the thing go.

A neighbor happening along and seeing his glum face thought to cheer him up, so he asked, "How many horsepower is your machine?"

The farmer spat disgustedly. "Forty," he said, "and every one of 'em's balked."—Suburban Life.

Already Explained.

"Senator, I understand that your son is on the government payroll."

"He is; also his wife and my daughter. What of it?"

"Don't you think some explanation is due?"

"Not at all. My grandchildren are too young, and I have already explained to my wife that I have not landed a suitable job for her yet."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Get the Fat.

Lean hoss fer de race dat's long. But you won't know whar you at Ef de hungry time is wid you. An' de possum he ain't fat.

Words what ain't in de bessin' You'll say, an' likes o' dat, Ef you mighty short on dressin' An' do turkey he ain't fat.

—Atlanta Constitution.

Telephone Lingo.

"So Miss Hayo, the telephone operator, has broken her engagement with you?"

"Yep. After she got my number she handed the presents back, put out her little white, shapely hand"—

"Well?"

"And said 'Ring off.'"—St. Paul Dispatch.

Reminders.

Mrs. Meek—Sausages are so delicious. Have you ever tried that flat kind?

Mrs. Cleek—Only once. My husband is such a golf fiend he won't eat any kind but the links.—Boston Transcript.

Jam.

"Oh, this isn't an awful jam?" Said Annabel to me When we were crowding on the tram in close proximity.

I looked at her and said, "No, mam; It's not the awful kind, But just the sweetest kind of jam That ever I could find!"

—Puck.

A Purist.

Visitor—Isn't either of your parents home, Martha?

Martha—No, ma'am. Ma has gone for an hour's sitting at the photographer's, and pa has gone for an afternoon's straddle on his horse.—Judge.

Harmless Hop.

He is not old, he is not young, The Chinese laundryman, Hop Lung, The yellowed cheek, the slanting eye, The humble nose, the cheek bone high, The cheerful face, the willing hand That serves the proudest in the land, His back yard you may scan with care—No dirty linen airing there.

—Chicago Tribune.

Deluded Souls.

"I wonder why so many business men marry their stenographers."

"Probably under the mistaken assumption that they can dictate to them as easily after marriage as they did before."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Two Tosses.

He tossed a kiss To an auto miss, And then all things grew dim, For ere he could leap He was put to sleep— When her big auto tossed him.

—Judge.

Brothers!

Kind Man—Madam, won't you take this seat?

Lady—I cannot deceive you, but I am a suffragette.

Kind Man—Then sit in my lap.—Life.

Various Likes.

The laundress likes the boiler's boil. The cook approves the stewpan's stew. The diner takes the broiler's broil.

And others love the brewer's brew.

—Buffalo Express.

Wanted Too Much.

She—Why, when I married you you said that I could have everything that my heart could desire.

He—I never dreamed you had such a big heart.—Cleveland Leader.

Divided Spoils.

Man has but little here below, And he will have less yet If he has to share his franchise With a bloom'in' suffragette.

—Judge.

Just as Good.

She—Oh, George, you've broken your promise.

The Cheerful One—Never mind, dearie. I'll make you another!—Comic Cuts.

Oh, Sugar!

Our country's growing better. This is no empty praise, For there is every sign that She intends to mend her weigh's.

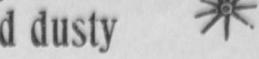
—Boston Transcript.

In a Newspaper Office.

"Here's a story about a man who drank fifty schooners."

"Put it in the ship news."—Pittsburg Press.

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FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

AMADOR LEDGER.

JACKSON, CAL, MARCH 11, 1910

AMADOR.

Mar. 10—Mr and Mrs Ball of Sutter Creek, were the guests of Mrs Jim Allen on Saturday last.

Miss Margaret Richards and P. A. Le Doux of Sacramento, were the guests of Mrs Frank Joy for a couple of days last week.

Nick Kevern of Martell was visiting his daughter, Mrs O. Francher, last Monday.

Mrs H. Marre of Jackson, was the guest of Mrs T. Chichizola last Sunday.

Mrs Harry Osborne, who has been visiting Mrs S. J. Pierce for the past three weeks, was visiting her old friends at the Kennedy and Jackson for a few days. She returned to her home in Oakland Monday.

Miss Enid Joy attended the Arbor day exercises given by the Sutter Creek public school on Monday last.

Miss Mary Chichizola, who has been staying at Plymouth with her sister-in-law for the past week, returned Tuesday.

Joe Cassella spent Saturday and Sunday in Jackson.

The Revs. Jackson and Easterbrook, who have been holding missionary meetings for the past two weeks, returned to their homes Saturday.

John Torre, who went to Stockton to see his brother, who has been ill, returned Monday night.

The members of the M. E. church are going to give an entertainment on March 10th. Refreshments will be served.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlains cough remedy acts on this plan. It loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

SUTTER CREEK.

March 10—Mrs John Mollinari, who has been in very poor health for several months, left this morning for San Francisco to try change of climate, and will also receive medical advice and treatment.

W H Hancock, a prominent saloon man of Sutter, has sold out his business to James Simmons, who several years ago was a resident of Sutter Creek for a short time.

Mrs J Truran left Tuesday morning for Oakland, to attend the funeral of a relative W F Moyle, who passed away in Oakland, on Monday morning. Mrs Truran will visit a short time in San Francisco with her grand-daughter, Mrs F W Morris.

E C Vorheis went to San Francisco Tuesday.

Mrs L Lagomarsino and little daughter and Miss Mildred Eddy returned from San Francisco Wednesday evening, bringing a stock of spring and summer millinery which will soon be in display to the ladies of Sutter Creek.

Judge F V Wood and wife were the guests of Mr and Mrs Charles Richards Monday afternoon.

At the residence of Mr and Mrs Santifio Friday evening, the 25 instant, a very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss California Miller, by her classmates, there being about twenty young ladies present. A happy evening was spent, and dainty refreshments enjoyed, and it was with regret that at a late hour, all bade their friend and schoolmate good-bye. Miss Miller was returning to her home near Volcano Saturday morning, after spending the winter here with her sister, Mrs J. Santifio, and attending the Sutter Creek school. Those present were, the misses, Sibyl Johnston, Helen Downs, Myrla Storms, Emma Jarvis, Minnie Odgers, Doris McKenney, Bina Trudgeon, Hazel and Margaret Richards, Janie Gill, Lucilla Millma, Olga O. Bradovich, Ethel Johns, Alice Risedorph and Bertha Walkmeister.

In Oakland March 7th, William Francis Moyle, aged 47 years, 6 months, formerly of Sutter Creek.

A W Turpin of San Francisco, one of the owners of the hotel Turpin recently erected on Powell and Market streets arrived here Sunday evening on business interests, leaving for his home again the following morning. Mr Turpin was formerly of the Royal Hamilton and has many patrons and friends in Sutter Creek.

Miss Rose Monteverde, has returned to her home, after a short visit with relatives in Sacramento.

Dr Goodlan, with his son and Grant Shear, enjoyed an automobile ride to Stockton last Saturday, to attend the aviation meet.

Mrs Gallagher of Poloma, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs Virginia Proffumo a few days last week.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY.

March 8—A party was given at Mrs Hart's place, near Aukun. A large crowd assembled. A turkey supper was served at midday, everybody enjoyed a fine time.

Cecil Kretcher of Shenandoah Valley, is tearing things up something fierce. He is turning the earth at his place up-

side down; I believe they call it summer fallowing.

Frank McClary and Mr Jesse Vose, both of Oleta, made a flying trip to Martell station last week. They intended staying a couple of days, but some great attractions kept them for a week.

Archie and Florence McClary were the guests of Bessie Brumfield on Sunday last.

Carl Goffinet and Lewis Seeley are in the trapping business. They have been having quite a success. The largest animal they caught was a young mountain lion.

A grand ball was given in Oleta on March 5th by Frank Cooper and Fred Guiles. A large crowd attended.

John Brumfield left Shenandoah valley for Matt Greenslate's saw mill, where he has employment.

Joseph Wrigglesworth of Shenandoah Valley has been laboring very hard for the past few days, making a fine improvement in the county road.

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PLYMOUTH

March 9—Mrs Pritchard and grandson Wallace Pritchard went to Oakland on Monday last, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs A. B Summers, who has been visiting relatives in Sacramento for some time past, has returned to her home here.

Mr and Mrs L G Griffith have returned from San Francisco, where they have been on business.

Mrs W. S. Weston, who has been visiting in Sacramento for the past few days, returned on Monday evening last.

Miss Lizzie Burke, who has been visiting relatives, here has returned to her home in Jackson.

A. F. Morgan went to the city on business on Sunday last.

Mrs D. Burke of Jackson is the guest of her mother, Mrs O'Toole of this place.

Miss Clarice Votaw of Forest Home was in town on Saturday last.

E. S. Barney, who has been here looking after his mining property, returned to his home at Haywards one day last week.

Mrs Pickett of Cosumnes arrived here on Saturday last accompanied by her two grandchildren, Mervin and Marguerite Devore, who have been visiting Mrs Anderson of Forrest Home. She returned the following day.

In last week's paper the correspondent made a mistake in writing down the names of those who attended the Drytown dance. It should be Mrs Olds and Mrs Tuttle instead of Mr and Mrs Tuttle, and the writer takes this means of correcting it.

J. A. Vanderpool, the genial harness maker of Plymouth, has returned from the hospital in San Francisco, where he underwent an operation, and reports himself greatly improved in health.

J. E. Walton has returned from a business trip to Sacramento, and also to visit his mother, who is reported very ill.

S. C. Greenslate and company intends leaving soon for their mining claim, which is situated near Pi, Pi, El Dorado county. We all wish them a prosperous summer in their mining venture.

The farmers and stockmen are all wearing broad smiles nowadays, on account of the lovely growing weather for their crops and feed.

T. C. Dugan, our accommodating stage owner has had a new sign painted and placed on the Forest House. That's right Dugan, keep in style.

While doctoring a valuable horse belonging to him, John Ekel, an old time resident of this place, had the misfortune to get his left arm broken between the wrist and elbow causing a bad injury to the arm, which has been crippled for a number of years. He is around, carrying his arm in a sling.

J. E. Walton has had his undertaking parlors decked with a new coat of paint, which greatly benefits the appearance of the building.

Thomas D. Davis, our popular school principal was badly bitten by a vicious dog belonging to W. L. Butler.

George Gibson, who has been to Sacramento on business, has returned.

Mr and Mrs John Davis, were the guests of Mrs A. J. Coster on Sunday last.

Mrs Margaret Sevey took a trip to Sacramento, where she will visit, she also intends visiting relatives in San Francisco before returning home.

Thomas Long, who with his brother Isaac had the misfortune to get blasted last week, has returned from the Sutter Creek sanitarium greatly improved, but reports his brother Isaac still in a very critical condition.

Arbor day was observed by the N. D. G. W. and the school children. A pleasant program was rendered in the M. E. church, after which they all proceeded to the Catholic church, where the trees were planted from the church down toward town. Eight trees were planted in all, six for the Native Daughters and two for the school.

Wild Roses.

Unclaimed Letters.

Unclaimed letters, remaining in the Jackson, Cal, postoffice, March 11, 1910; Cassaza Giovanni, Eagan Edw. Hofrichter Mrs Francesku, Williams Herbert.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

A Fan That Makes Ozone—Drops Shaken from Rainbows—A "Fake" Meteorite—Plant Stimulants and Poisons—Acetylene Inhalation—Oiled Sleepers—Moving Pictures by Wire—Adhesion of Smooth Plates—An Artificial Desert-Mirage.

An ozone-producing electric fan now being made in Vienna utilizes Dr. Franz Fischer's novel discovery that when air is much heated and then suddenly cooled, ozone is produced. A combination of small fly-wheel and air-fan is driven by an electric motor, and sucks in air and sends it through a kind of funnel to a Nernst radiator giving a heat of 3200 deg. C. The heated current is cooled by mixing with the air

Showing the results of his process of grinding and polishing steel plates far smoother than has been hitherto possible, Johanson, Swedish engineer, has given to the Paris Academy of Sciences a remarkable demonstration of the molecular attraction between bodies in contact. The slightest microscopic unevenness is sufficient to prevent molecular adhesion. Electromagnetic influences being proven to be absent, one steel plate was placed on top of another and then the pull of even heavy weights failed to separate them. The space between the two plates was found to be less than 12,500,000 of an inch. Of the oxygen passed through about 4 per cent is ozonized, and this proportion cannot be exceeded, so there is no risk of an excessive production of ozone. A single piece of apparatus, weighing not more than 30 pounds and needing but a small amount of power, is sufficient to purify the air of a large hall.

The downpour of rain that sometimes follows a ash of lightning is usually supposed to be due to the coalescence of fine drops on losing their electrical charge, but Laine, a Finnish observer,

has found reason to adopt a new theory. He concludes that the thunder jars the drops together. Near Vasa, a heavy thunderstorm came up from the east late one August afternoon, and, as the sun was unclouded, a brilliant double rainbow appeared in the east for half an hour arching from horizon to horizon.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.—01913

Department of the Interior,

U. S. Land Office at Sacramento,

California, March 5, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Frances Newton Denend, of Volcano, California, who, on March 18, 1903, made H. E. No. 7498, for SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 7 N., Range 12 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the U. S. Commissioner for Amador county, at his office in Jackson, California, on the 16th day of April, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. B. McLaughlin, Robt Maxwell, M. Robinson, of Volcano, California, and W. Dent of Oleta, California.

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JACKSON, CAL.

AMADOR LEDGER

JACKSON, CAL. MARCH 11, 1910

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rain. Inches	Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rain. Inches
Mar. 1, 1910	39 60	.....	.....	17	.....
2.	38 75	.....	.....	18	.....
3.	41 77	.....	.....	19	.....
4.	45 73	.....	.....	20	.....
5.	41 73	.....	.....	21	.....
6.	41 73	.....	.....	22	.....
7.	41 73	.....	.....	23	.....
8.	40 72	.....	.....	24	.....
9.	43 71	.....	.....	25	.....
10.	41 77	.....	.....	26	.....
11.	41	.....	.....	27	.....
12.	.....	.....	.....	28	.....
13.	.....	.....	.....	29	.....
14.	.....	.....	.....	30	.....
15.	.....	.....	.....	31	.....
16.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Total rainfall for season to date 20.54 inches

To corresponding period last season 29.69

LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson. Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 711; residence, Main 75; Jackson.

George Boarman was operated upon at the county hospital by Dr. Endicott on Thursday of last week, for the relief from pain of an amputated leg. He was the victim of an accident several years ago in El Dorado county, being injured so badly about the leg that the member was amputated. A nerve, however, has penetrated the scar or near the surface, which has given him a great deal of pain. The operation was performed to remedy this by forming a cushion of flesh, and placing the nerves deeper. The operation was entirely successful, and it is believed the patient will no longer be tortured after the fashion of the past.

W. H. Greenhalgh, some weeks ago was presented by his brother members of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias, with a solid gold emblem and watch chain in recognition of his services as a past chancellor commander of the lodge. The emblem is out of the ordinary run of such local mementoes, both as regards its handsome workmanship and intrinsic value.

Mrs Mello of Butte City has been confined to her bed with dropsy for a long time. The attending physician had to tap her a few days ago, taking several gallons of water that had accumulated under the skin. She has been helpless for several months. Her brother-in-law, A. Mello, was before the supervisors this week asking for some assistance as he is alone in taking care of her.

The play of "Because I love you," will be presented by amateur performers in Love's hall on Thursday next, March 17, (St. Patrick's day) for the benefit of the Catholic church.

John F. Davis was in Jackson Monday and Tuesday, on business concerning the Whittier estate.

F. M. Farwell, of the Jose Gulch Mine near Butte mountain, returned Saturday last after a stay of several weeks in Oakland. He is expecting that something will be done soon toward resuming work upon the property.

The city trustees have supplied the city sexton with 60 red-wood headboards, to mark the resting place of the departed who have no one to see that their graves can be identified. The sexton has put 3 coats of white paint on the boards, and has recorded the name, age and nativity of the departed.

The amount paid into the treasury on account of paid patients in the county hospital, last month was \$154.

Miss Aclrod and Mrs Voorsanger, after a visit of several weeks with their sister, Mrs J. Gluckfield, left last week for their home in San Francisco.

Frank Podesta returned from San Francisco last Sunday. He was there for medical treatment, for fainting spells. He was recommended to return home, and remain free from excitement, and he would be likely to recover in the course of time.

Miller's Best Flour—once kneaded always needed.

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DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Princess Marie Bonaparte is the richest woman in France. Her father founded the Monte Carlo gambling resort.

Mrs. Daniel C. Morse, employed in a corset establishment in Worcester, thinks she is the oldest "shopgirl" in Massachusetts. She is eighty-four years old.

The president of the Dutch Woman Suffrage association is Dr. Aletta Jacobs of Amsterdam, who was the first woman authorized to practice medicine in Holland. Dr. Jacobs recently celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of her practice.

Miss Martina Kramers of Rotterdam, Holland, is one of the most accomplished of woman linguists. She can read and speak thirteen languages. She is the editor of *Jus Suffragii*, the official organ of the International Woman Suffrage alliance.

Caroline Bartlett Crane is an evangelist in social ethics. Mrs. Crane, fifty-one years old, lives in Kalamazoo, where in 1893 she founded the People's church, a creedless, seven day working church. Later she relinquished her pastorate and through the Woman's Civic Improvement league commenced a much wider work.

Train and Track.

Railroad signals of the present day are the outgrowth of the invention of a lazy Scotchman who when obliged to walk some distance to operate a signal rigged wires to it and worked it from his box, where he could sit still.

Out of 206 railway charters granted by the Canadian parliament in the twenty years ended 1909 only twenty-eight have resulted in any construction, eighty-six haveapsed, and the others have received extensions of time.

The railroad station at Langford, England, on a branch line, is in charge of an aged widow who has performed all the duties for many years. Her cottage, a short distance away, is also the ticket office, and a small wooden shed is the waiting room.

Recent Inventions.

A Michigan man has patented a post hole digger with pivoted jaws, much like a miniature clam shell dredge.

An Australian has taken out a patent on a buoy to be fastened to the bridge deck of a vessel by a coil of wire to enable the wreck to be located should the vessel founder.

A European inventor has brought out a parachute hood which he claims may be used on any aeroplane without hindering its flight, yet which will prevent disaster should the machine fall.

A North Dakota man has patented a hammer with a loop of metal under the face of the head in which a nail can be held for starting into place without danger of mashing the user's fingers.

The Royal Box.

The chief hobby of the sultan of Zanzibar, who was educated at Harrow and Oxford and speaks English perfectly, is the accumulation of clocks.

Queen Margherita of Italy has a weakness for books of American and English novelists. She also reads English and American magazines, and it is her opinion that the American school of short story writers at present is the best in the world.

King Edward celebrated his sixtieth birthday recently in excellent health and spirits, and yet seven years ago the coronation ceremony was first hastened on account of his physical condition and then postponed until he should recover from the effect of a serious operation.

Flower and Tree.

New Zealand has in its edelweiss a plant differing but slightly from the famous Swiss variety.

A single leaf of the orange tree carefully planted will often take root and grow.

An oak tree at 100 years averages forty-one inches in diameter, a larch forty inches, an elm fifty inches and a yew nine inches.

A white pine tree twenty years old ought to be about twenty-five feet high and at thirty or forty years of age it ought to measure about sixty feet.

Sporting Notes.

Rochester's (N. Y.) Aero club will be limited to fifty members.

The Eel, 2024, gray wonder, has been barred from the Ottawa free for all contest and will not race on the ice circuit as result.

Purdue university will introduce wrestling classes as a means of developing athletic candidates. All applicants for places on the teams will be asked to take part.

German Gleanings.

There are no deserted farms in Germany.

In Germany 20,000 foxes a year are slaughtered.

It costs Berlin less than \$1,500,000 a year to keep the streets clean.

Earthenware factories in Germany have had to reduce prices for many articles on account of competition.

Dental students in the German universities will henceforth be matriculated in the medical departments and not in the philosophical, as heretofore.

Can't Collect Gambling Debts.

Paradoxical. Our language very queer appears. Some phrases cause us doubt. When men a race have started on "They're off!" the people shout. Then as the runners forge ahead We hear above the din This cry: "He's losing all the rest! I'll bet that he will win!"

Next morning in the press we read: His victory was sweet. He walked away from all his foes And ran them off their feet. —Detroit Free Press.

Explained.

"Don't you want your nice bread and butter, Anne?" asked her father. Anne shook her head. "It's a shame to waste such nice bread and butter," continued her father. "I'll eat it myself."

Anne watched the process with big eyes and a look of expectancy on her face. Finally, when the last mouthful had disappeared, Anne asked, "Papa, did it tickle?"

"Tickle!" said her father. "Why, no. What do you mean?"

"I thought it would tickle," said Anne. "It had a long hair on it." —Circle.

Worse Than Split.

The Youth—Miss Mabel, I'd like to once in awhile, with your permission, you know, call and see you.

The High School Girl—Mr. Sorreltop, you will pardon me for saying that I do not care for the attentions of a young man who not only splits his infinitives, but tears them wide apart. —Chicago Tribune.

Her Winter Garb.

Woman likes a contrast When the weather's rough; Rather believes In elbow sleeves Coupled with a muff.

Woman likes a contrast When a freeze occurs; Has a quirke For openwork Worn with heavy furs. —Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Always Busy.

"What do you mean, sir?" demanded the irate housewife, "by circulating the report that I am an idle gossip?"

"Madam," responded the corner grocer suavely, "you do me grave injustice. I said you were the busiest gossip within ten blocks." —Chicago News.

Fragmentary.

"The dress Mrs. Style wore at the opera was a perfect poem," said Mrs. Howard.

"As far as it went, no doubt," replied her husband, "but I thought some caskets were missing." —Brooklyn Life.

Last Rose Revived.

'Tis the last rose of summer left blooming alone. All her lovely companions are faded and gone.

But never a grief can her smiling unsettle— She knows she is worth seven dollars a petal. —Lippincott's.

Should Be.

"I notice all the members of your family wear felt slippers."

"Yes; we like them."

"Then things in this family ought to be on an easy footing." —Baltimore American.

Cold Weather Joys.

The dreary days are here again, And Jack Frost on the window pane Is sketching crystal stripes,

And once again at chilly dawn We yawn and blink and blink and yawn As up and down the chilly hall There sounds that aggravating call:

"Get up and thaw the pipes!" —Chicago News.

That Mighty Pen.

The superiority of man to nature is continually illustrated. Nature needs an immense quantity of quills to make a goose with, but a man can make a goose of himself with one. —Christian Register.

The Modern Version.

Mad of Athens, ere we part, Never mind about my heart, Give, oh, give me back the ring And each fair, expensive thing That I sent you and each note Which in those dead days I wrote! They are what the jury says Indicate the damages:

—Judge.

The Natural Question.

Follower of Events—A Harvard professor favors a revision of the Ten Commandments.

Ultimate Consumer—Gee whiz! Upward or downward?—St. Louis Star.

Consolation.

Now, here's a conundrum to think of when You're out in a winter storm:

The Eskimo dresses in heavy furs, But how does his nose keep warm? —Buffalo Express.

A Rural Note.

Kitty—I call them an agricultural couple.

Katherine—How so?

Kitty—She's a peach, and he's a regular beat. —Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Solution of the Game.

Life is a game of give and take And passing hard to live.

'Cause ten you'll find inclined to take For one inclined to give. —Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Stayers.

Public servants can be relied on more than private ones."

"How?"

"They never quit." —New York Journal.

Avast the Grouch!

We are on earth so brief a time, When all is said and done, I wonder that we ever let Our gourches spoil our fun. —Detroit Free Press.

True Enough.

"This is a harsh, rough world," complained the tramp with the weak chin.

"Yes, it is rather crusty," admitted the geologist. —Boston Herald.

From Our Exchanges.

Money loaned for the purpose of performing acts which are against good morals and sound policy cannot be collected by means of the courts is the gist of a decision rendered by Justice Parker in the case of L. Galbraith, owner of a pool room in Tracy, who sought to collect \$33 from J. J. Brown, a Southern Pacific brakeman. Justice Parker held that the case had no right in court and he ordered it stricken from the files.

An extract from the decision is as follows:

This clear and forcible language of the higher tribunals places the law completely beyond controversy. Courts everywhere deny redress to the party who enters into a transaction to commit an offense against the law, or to do that which is contrary to the policy of express law, or prohibited by public policy, and money advanced to another for the purpose of violating the law cannot be recovered. If the rule were otherwise, he who financed a pirate crew for robbery on the high seas could invoke the aid of the courts to recover the moneys.

Dan Patterson, Saturday last, at his ranch near Bootjack, heard a commotion among his hogs and on investigating found a dead pig killed by lions. He at once poisoned the carcass and tied up his dogs and awaited results. The result was that on his next visit to the poisoned pig, three full grown California lions were found lying dead. He buried the poisoned meat and scalped the cats and buried them. The next day on passing the place he discovered that he had been too hasty in disposing of the poison as fresh lion tracks were all around where he had killed the other lions. The bounty allowed by the state game commissioners on California lions is \$20 per scalp, so Dan is \$60 better off and the good to the community cannot be estimated. —Mariposa Gazette.

D. Simon was among the fortunate ones Friday who were looking along Main street where the mud has been sluiced off by employees of the street department. He found a piece of quartz about one by one and half inches across, which contained about \$2 worth of gold. It had been hauled in with other crushed rock dumped into the street in years gone by. Considerable free gold is picked up along Main street whenever the refuse is hosed off. —El Dorado Republican.

Benj. Gilbert, miner, of Jackson, Cal., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they proved of great benefit to me. I suffered from backache for a long time and the trouble gradually grew worse in spite of the different remedies I tried. I got so bad that I could not do my work and at night was so tired and played out that I was unable to sleep. A friend finally advised me to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial and I procured a box at the City Pharmacy. I felt their good effect immediately and I continued taking them until I was cured. Whenever I feel any symptom of kidney complaint returning, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they give satisfactory results.

He wrote later to friends in Angels, saying he was about to take the boat for home, since which time nothing has been heard from him. From descriptions of the body found near Stockton, and forwarded to friends and relatives in Calaveras county, it is thought that the identity of the remains have been established.

He was honest, industrious and had no bad habits. The Odd Fellows of Angels have been trying to locate him ever since his mysterious disappearance.

If he lost his life in making the trip homeward, as some of his Angels friends fear, he must have fallen overboard, they figure, for he was not a drinking man and he would not take his own life.

In a general way the description given of the drowned man fits that of the missing miner, who was of about the same age and height, and of light complexion. The missing man wore a sandy mustache and was of spare build, which fits the description of the drowned man in those particulars.

Rev. Charles Swithenbank, who was the pastor of the Clay street Methodist church in Stockton two years and was transferred from that charge to Middle-town, Lake county, and the missing man, Joseph Swithenbank, are brothers, and sons of Mrs. Gallagher, who resides in West Point, Calaveras county. Another brother, William, lived in Stockton and died here a few months ago.

They were reared in Amador county and always bore excellent reputations as boys and men. Joseph Swithenbank would have called on his Stockton relatives if he passed through this city and his absence cannot be accounted for by them. —Tuolumne Independent.

"Right," responded the teacher.

At this moment his eye fell on a small boy at the end of the class who was evidently paying very little attention to what was said.

"Did you hear that, Spry?" he demanded.

"Wot, sir?" asked that youth innocently.

"As I thought, you were not listening. We will suppose your father decided to have a day's holiday and visit the seaside. What would he have to do before he could take his seat in the train?"

Without a moment's thought the younger electrified his teacher by replying:

"Pawn his tools!"

—Doubtless True.

A teacher in a Birmingham school was endeavoring to explain the term "booking" as applied to our railway system, says London Tit-Bits.

"Now," he was saying, "can any of you tell me the name of the office at which railway tickets are sold?"

"The booking office," replied one of the lads.

"Right," responded the teacher.

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—Odd French English.

A correspondent has been studying English pronunciation in a French dictionary (Pierre Larousse, 1890) and picks out a few examples to show how much effort is necessary for a Frenchman to acquire a true articulation of English. They are all taken from a surprisingly long list of English phrases current in France. "Broken down" (as applied to a race horse) is "bro-k'n-daoun." "Dead heat" is rendered as "dld-bth," which is ingenious, but hardly correct. "Al-laf" is not a bad attempt for "high life," although the aspirate is missing. "Self government" looks an even more imposing political ideal as "self gheuvernement," and the word "shocking" is quite applicable when rendered "chok-inn-que."

The opening words of Hamlet's famous soliloquy have a decidedly foreign look, that is, "Tou bi or nott ou bi, that is the kouess-tchean." —Mauchester Guardian.

The membership fee was fixed at \$1; monthly assessments, 25 cents.

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Put These Election Datum in your Hat.

For the edification and convenience of the ubiquitous individual who makes his hat a political scrap book, the following primary and general election calendar for 1910 has been prepared. It is accurate and is published herewith by courtesy of A. Carlisle and Company of San Francisco who compiled it.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

July 27—Registration closes.

June 17—Secretary of state must send to county clerk a notice designating the offices for which candidates are to be nominated. June 27—Before this date must publish notice of such offices once a week for six weeks in not more than 2 papers.

July 16—Prior to this date party committees file petition for holding convention with county clerk.

July 16—Last day to file NOMINATION PAPERS with county clerk.

July 26—Last day for county clerk to forward secretary of state nomination papers of state senators, assemblymen, and all candidates to be voted for in more than one county.

July 22—Secretary of state shall transmit to county clerk a list containing the name and address of each person whose nomination papers are filed in his office, who is entitled to be voted for in such county, with designation of office, and party principle.

July 22—After this date on receipt from secretary state publish for two weeks, names and addresses of all candidates, title of office and party designation, date of election, list of polling places, etc.

July 27—Prepare sample ballots for each political party, mail a copy to each candidate, post copy of ballot in office, publish each ballot twice in not more than 2 papers not more than 20 or less than 10 days before election.

August 16—Primary election day

—Polls open 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

August 18—Supervisors canvass returns, 10 a. m.; Aug. 22—If returns not in by August 18, adjourn to this date at 1 p. m. and commence canvass which must be completed by Sept. 1, at 6 p. m.

September 13—Last day to file copy with officer authorized to issue certificate of nomination, and a duplicate with county recorder in county where candidate resides.

October 14—Prior to this date secretary of state shall certify to county clerk names of candidates, the office, and their party designation entitled to receive vote at November election.

Duty of county clerk—When result is declared he must enter it on the board's record, send duplicate list of delegates elected to chairman of each political party, send to secretary of state copy of returns for candidates voted for only in part in county, and all candidates for legislature, congress and judicial officers except justice of peace.

GENERAL ELECTION.

January 1—Registration commences; closes Sept. 28; transfers from one precinct to another cease October 13.

August 10—Last day to be naturalized in order to register.

August 31—County convention must be held by this date.

Sept. 14—State convention must be held by this date.

Sept. 25—Before this date supervisors and superior judges must fix amount of bonds of county officers.

Time for filing independent nominations:

With secretary of state—Between Sept. 9 and Oct. 4.

With county clerk—Between Sept. 19 and Oct. 8.

By clerks with clerks of other counties where county is part of district for some offices—Oct. 12.

Oct. 14—Prior to this date Secretaries of state shall certify to county clerk names of candidates, the office, and their party designation, entitled to receive votes at November election.

Oct. 14—Not later than this date must appoint election officers and designate polling places.

Nov. 1—Publish names of election officers five times daily after this date, or twice weekly before day of election.

Oct. 13—Before this date, arrange registration affidavits for each precinct alphabetically, and bind them; Oct. 18—Before this date prepare index to affidavits for each precinct and have same printed.

Oct. 29—Proclamation may be published and posted before this date. Oct. 29—Commence mailing sample ballots, instructions to voters, and constitutional amendments, finish mailing Nov. 4

Nov. 8—Election day. Polls open 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Nov. 14—Supervisors commence canvass of returns and continue daily until completed.

Nov. 23—Last day for county officers to file statement of receipts and expenditures.

Duty of county clerk—Must enter results of canvass on board's records; issue certificates of election; send necessary abstracts to other county clerks and secretary of state etc., etc.

Acknowledgment blanks for notaries, specially printed for Amador county, may be had at the Ledger office. Price 50c per packet of 50.

Halley's Comet.

According to Prof. E. B. Frost, director of Yerkes observatory, Chicago, Halley's comet will be visible to the naked eye about April 1st. It will cross the face of the sun on May 18th. The time of the comet's transit will be rather unfavorable for eastern observations, but undoubtedly it will be observed from the Lick observatory in California and through other western telescopes. The comet will be visible to the naked eye about April 1st in the morning sky just before sunrise. After it crosses the sun it will appear in the evening sky just after sunset.

This comet continues to be the subject of much comment and speculation. The first recorded appearance of the comet now known as Halley's comet in Europe was B. C. 11, when it hung menacingly over Rome for some weeks preceding the death of Agrippa, but the Chinese have record of it as far back at 250 B. C.

It has returned twenty-seven times since the latter date and has generally caused great consternation from its formidable appearance. Halley's comet has always had the reputation of being the forerunner of hard times for the poor, and as it appeared several times immediately before very serious events in the history of the world, such coincidences have given encouragement to the general belief in old times that brilliant comets have something to do with stirring up things on earth.

Halley's comet is pictured in the famous Bayeux tapestry, which represents the conquest of England by William of Normandy. It was firmly believed to be connected with that event. Of it in 1456, Draper says:

"So tremendous was its apparition that it was necessary for the Pope himself to interfere. He exorcised and expelled it from the skies. It slunk away into the abysses of space, terror-stricken by the maledictions of Calixtus III, and did not venture back for seventy-five years!"—Conflict between religion and science, chap. x.

The last great comet seen by our generation came in 1882. It was so brilliant that when it passed nearest the sun—within less than half the diameter of the solar orb—its brightest part was clearly visible in the early morning only, comparatively few persons saw it. Whether Halley's comet will or will not attain remarkable brilliancy this time remains to be seen.

Now that it is considered proven that a comet is a focus of tremendous electrical forces, perhaps it may not be so unscientific after all to suppose that a specially large and brilliant one may produce some powerful effect upon the earth's magnetic condition, and thereby on some of its inhabitants.

State Roads.

"I believe that the state should build all roads," declared the state engineer N. Ellery to a representative of the Bee, "and place the work out of the hands of county politicians, who cannot work with a free hand in view of local feelings that hurt the work. Large expenses are accumulated by some counties in road-building simply because they have inferior workmen holding 'soft snaps' through some political pull."

"I had a case in this part of the state awhile back where the state engineer department was doing some work on a river bank. The county was paying half, but I was doing the work. The supervisor in whose district the work was being done had a number of friends who immediately wanted jobs. He referred them to this department, and I sent the men to the man actually supervising the work, with instructions to give them employment, but with further directions to fire them if they did not earn their money.

"It so happened these fellows were political hangers-on who were not worth their salt. They were fired as soon as they showed what they were. They went to their supervisor friend, who was somewhat provoked, but managed to 'pass the buck,' so to speak, to me. I took it all right, and simply told them that I wanted men who will work and who can work."

"That's just the way it goes. Had that work been solely in the charge of the county men these men would have hung on like leeches and the bill up a great deal higher than was necessary.

"Various counties in the state run up against these propositions in the building of their county roads, and in nine cases out of ten you will find that the local feeling, either by giving work to incompetents or by persons fighting to when and where a road is to be placed, or what material will be used, has much to do with many failures and exceedingly high construction prices."

Saved A Soldier's Life.

Facing death from shot and shell in the civil war was more agreeable to J. A. Stone, of Kemp, Tex., than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough, that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 178 pounds." For coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, hemorrhage, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough and lung trouble, its supreme, 50c \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Spagnoli's Drug Store.

Investment Schemes

We look upon San Francisco as the money center of California; and such it is. Most of the enterprises requiring a vast amount of capital originate there. At the same time, it is also true, that the country districts play a very important part in furnishing the capital necessary to float these undertakings. One would naturally think that a scheme that promised a substantial return would be gobble up very readily by San Francisco capitalists, who are always on the lookout for investments.

Possibly the propositions are so plentiful, the good mixed with doubtful ventures, that they become tiresome. At any rate, it is noteworthy that the country—especially mining centers like Jackson and Amador county, where ready money is supposed to be available—is pretty well canvassed for funds to help many of these enterprises. Scarcely a day passes that some canvasser is not around interviewing our citizens with a view of investing.

All kinds of propositions realty deals, stocks, bonds, and industrial undertaking, are pushed with energy by these agents. It is a logical conclusion that a fairly good investment scheme commands support from local investors, otherwise these canvassers would not continue to come around so persistently.

These things go to prove there is money to be had for investment purposes in this locality, and disposition on the part of those who have it, to invest on any favorable showing. It is strange that local avenues for the employment of capital do not command as much notice as projects at a distance. To float a local enterprise, the promoters like away to the city. With a city venture, the promoters seek the country.

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Where Life is Cheap.

Your Oriental is something of a stoic; he knows he must die, and doesn't seem greatly concerned as to how it happens. Perhaps this is because there isn't much in his life at the best. As his fathers were, he will be, and in that crowded land the lot as a rule, isn't desirable. But the Orient isn't the only place where life is cheap. Here in America, where are the greatest inducements to live, life is really about as cheap, population considered.

Within the past few weeks, numerous fatal mining accidents have been recorded. Mining experts say there are fewer physical causes for accidents in American mines than those of Europe. Yet four men in a thousand are killed in the United States to where one is killed abroad.

Our railroads kill and maim 75,000 in a year, which is more than five times as great a toll as is taken by the railroads of Europe. Yet it is safer to ride a year on an American railway than to spend the same length of time in the taxicabs and street cars of New York.

Tennessee, with two million people, records more murders in a year than all the United Kingdom with forty millions, and fewer of the murderers are brought to justice. And the record of other states, in proportion, is not far from that of Tennessee. While these things continue, there is less reason for this Yankee pride of superiority than you may imagine.

How Good News Spreads.

"I am 70 years old and travel most of the time," writes B. F. Tolson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Every

Continued from page 3.
At each roll of thunder the rainbows seemed to be much shaken, the edges being displaced and the colors blurred. This could not be due to the lightning, and it seemed that the same cause might enlarge the raindrops and distort the rainbows.

There is a curious tendency to pronounce every unfamiliar stone a meteorite. One morning last October a broken gate at Norwood, Mass., attracted attention, and was traced to a hard gray rock of 275 pounds, which was declared to be still warm, and was soon exhibited in a dime museum as a meteorite. Dr. E. O. Hovey, has since examined the mass, finding it to be ordinary dike rock—labradorite-porphry with no characteristic of meteorites.

Besides the nitrogenous manures and

lime and potash salts, other materials in the soil act as plant foods or stimulants, and some as poisons. Collecting the experience of numerous observers, Rene Vallire, a French chemist, shows that manganese salts have much effect on plant growth, the sulphate having given the best results, but the chloride and oxide also having exerted favorable action. Experiments have been tried with these salts on rice, wheat, oats, barley, sugar beets and flax. With 10 to 50 pounds of the salt per acre, yields have been usually increased from 25 to 50 per cent, but an excess such as 100 pounds of the sulphate per acre—has diminished the crop. As the proportion of manganese is not always raised in the plants of increased yield, it is inferred that the benefit may be partly due to destruction of toxins left

in the soil by preceding crops. A similar action seems to be exerted by copper salts, so much used in fungicides, and the yield of maize has been increased from 27 to 86 per cent by soaking the seed corn in a copper sulphate solution before planting. Zinc salts, injurious in any but minute quantity, have been found to promote the growth and multiplication of mold and yeast fungi and the germination of wheat. Alumina, applied to the ground as alum solution, stimulated the growth of barley and flax; and magnesia increased the crop of grain, potatoes and beets, but chiefly by promoting the assimilation of nitrogen. Bromine, iodine and fluorine act as stimulant or poison, according to dose.

The physiologic effects of acetylene, now so much used, have been studied

by Grehant, who has prepared an artificial atmosphere of 79 volumes of acetylene and 21 volumes of oxygen, and has noted the action of this mixture on animals breathing it. The acetylene proves to be much less poisonous than carbon monoxide, whose effects in illuminating gas and as given off by coal fires are so well known. A pigeon in the acetylene mixture died in 30 minutes and a rabbit in 40 minutes, but a tortoise was unharmed, and the arrested respiration of a frog was restored on being brought into the open air.

Pine sleepers treated with California crude oil have been used on the Santa Fe Railway since February 1902, with no sign of decay. Untreated sleepers last not over two years.

The miniature mirage of Dr. R. W.

Wood, of Johns Hopkins University, is produced with a sand-covered sheet-iron plate 15 feet long, heated by gas-burners. The sun is reflected from a mirror upon a sheet of white paper at one end. On becoming properly heated, the little desert shows a pool of water in front of some sand piles, reproducing perfectly the phantom lake that tantalizes thirsty travelers.

The new televisor of Edward Belin, the French inventor, depends upon the use of special perforated photographs, and upon transmission of light and shade by mechanical means instead of depending on the slow variations of the selenium cell. The holes in the paper photographs are of various sizes, to correspond to the large and small dots making up the ordinary newspaper halftone. The prepared photograph of the

recent event or other scene is placed on a metal base and passed under a set of metal brushes in an electric circuit with the distant viewing screen, and the current passed at each impulse varies with the size of the perforation. The varying portions of the current received are made to illuminate more or less strongly little spots on the screen, each light spot corresponding in size and position to a perforation in the picture transmitted. A series of cinematograph photographs passed under the brushes would yield a reproduction on the screen showing the original life and motion, and is claimed to solve the problem of transmitting living images by wire. It is stated that the crude experiments made between two stations in Paris have demonstrated the practicability of the method.

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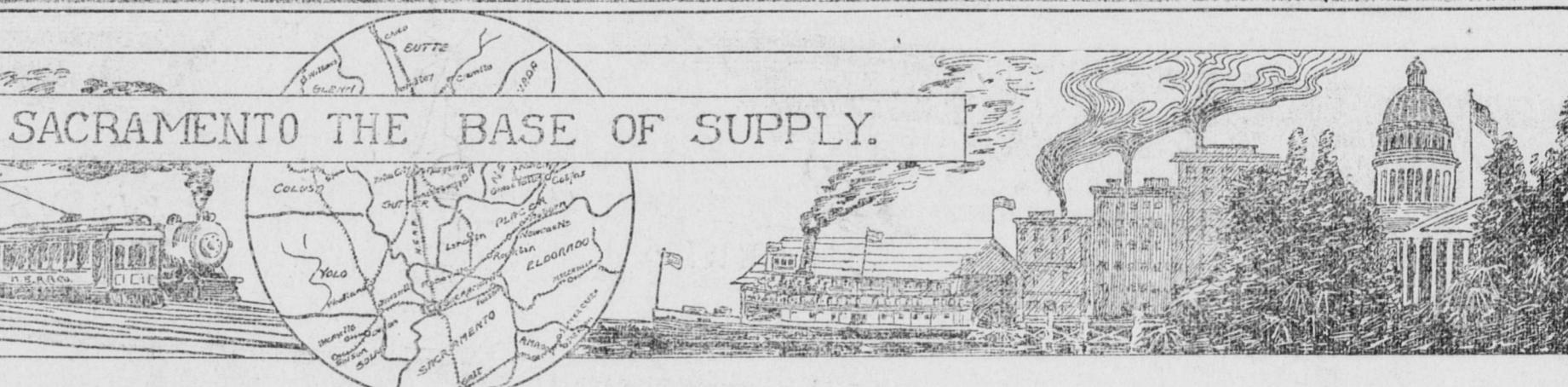
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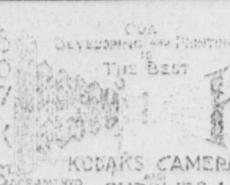
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